



Dosbarth Haul: Autumn Newsletter 2020

Welcome back to the start of the year at Ysgol Bryn Teg. It has been an awfully long time and we are delighted to welcome you and your children back to school. We have really missed you all!

Updates

The last few months have been a challenge for all. Understandably, not everyone is going to be feeling the same way about returning to school and everyone academically will be at different points.

The key focus this term will be on well-being, recap of key skills and being ready to learn and work happily.

The procedures in place such as staggered times to the day and bubbles will remain in place for the foreseeable future. In class we will be learning, having fun and keeping safe.

Homework

We encourage the children to take control of their own learning by ensuring that they feedback appropriately in class and through their homework.

In the current climate we are looking to upskill the children in their online learning to ensure that we are equipped should the children need to work from home again.

Class information

- Homework will be given out on a Friday and is expected back by Wednesday. If you have been unable to undertake the work at home, time will be offered during lunch on a Tuesday, where the children will have access to Chromebooks.
- Mrs Staples will be covering in class on a Monday afternoon and on a Friday. P.E kit to be brought in on a Tuesday.

What we will be learning about

In English we will be looking at writing skills with a focus on spelling, punctuation, handwriting and grammar.

In maths we will be focussing on the skills of addition, subtraction, division and multiplication. Parents can help at home by practising times tables and mental maths.

In our topic work we will be learning about World War 2.

There will be a large emphasis on outdoor and digital learning.

Please make sure to have appropriate /waterproof clothing and footwear.

Keeping in touch

Please feel free to message via dojo if you have any issues.

Pupils will complete work (home / school) and keep in touch via **Google classrooms**

Email me – paul.gooding@brynteg.vsgolccc.cymru

Unscheduled or face to face parent / staff meetings will not be able to take place at present to help keep everyone safe.

Useful websites

<https://ttrockstars.com/>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/levels/zbr9wmn>

<https://hwb.gov.wales/>

<http://www.ictgames.com/>

<https://hourofcode.com/uk/learn>

Many thanks in advance for your support.

Mr Gooding, Deputy Headteacher.